# **United States President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief**



# Partnership to Fight HIV/AIDS in South Africa

# PEPFAR IN GAUTENG

#### **Fast Facts**

## **PEPFAR Investments**

PEPFAR National Budget—2013 \$484,000,000

PEPFAR Estimated Gauteng Provincial Expenditure—2012 \$103,208,000

Demographic and Health Stats—2012<sup>1</sup>

## Population<sup>2</sup>

SA: 51,770,561

GP: 12,272,263 (23.7% of SA)

## Life Expectancy<sup>3</sup> (m/f)

SA: 55.5 / 61.6 GP: 58.0 / 63.4

# Unemployment4

SA: 25.5% GP: 24.8%

# PMTCT Rate5

SA: 2.7% GP: 2.1%

## TB Incidence6

SA: 773.3/100,000 GP: 496.2/100,000

## **Additional Information**

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South Africa Partnership Framework & Implementation Plan:

http://southafrica.usembassy.gov/pepfar\_framework2.html

## **PEPFAR Overview**

Since 2004, PEPFAR has invested more than \$4.2 billion in SA in response to the HIV/AIDS and TB epidemics. PEPFAR works in partnership with national, provincial and local governments, with non-governmental and faith-based organizations, and with academia and the private sector to scale up life-saving HIV/AIDS prevention, care and treatment services across SA. Joint national outcomes in 2013 include:

- 2,400,000 million HIV-positive individuals on antiretroviral treatment,
- Reduction in mother-to-child transmission rate of HIV to less than 3%,
- 6,617,300 individuals received HIV counseling and testing,
- 295,000 men received medical male circumcision as part of a package of prevention services,
- 177,000 orphans and vulnerable children were reached with care services.

## **HIV** in the Province

The sexually active age group (males and females 15—49 years) represents 59.3% of Gauteng's population<sup>7</sup>; HIV prevalence amongst this group is 16.5%<sup>8</sup>. According to recently released DoH data, Gauteng recorded a decrease in antenatal HIV prevalence of 1.7% from 30.4% to 28.7% (95% CI: 27.3—30.1)<sup>9</sup>. However, West Rand and Ekurhuleni districts recorded HIV prevalence of 32.3% and 30.1% respectively among pregnant women<sup>9</sup>.

#### **PEPFAR's Current Work**

The USG works in close partnership with the SAG to achieve the goals of zero new HIV and TB infections, zero new infections due to vertical transmission, zero preventable deaths associated with HIV and TB, and zero discrimination associated with HIV, STIs, and TB. In August 2012, the US and SA governments signed a Partnership Framework Implementation Plan which outlines joint investments through 2017 to further reduce HIV infections and build health systems capacity. PEPFAR works in alliance with Gauteng's provincial and local governments to strengthen its health system infrastructure through ensuring high quality standard of care at health facilities; enhancing training, recruiting, and strengthening human resource systems for clinicians, community health workers, and managers; strengthening use and data capturing of routine health information systems, including ETR, EDR, Tier.net, and DHIS; and promoting evidence-informed planning.

## **Gauteng Achievements**

Through district health partners, PEPFAR has supported the provincial government in reaching the following **Milestones in 2013**:

- 592,700 HIV-positive individuals on antiretroviral treatment, and
- 1,447,200 individuals received HIV counseling and testing.

Additionally, PEPFAR implementing partners in the province contributed directly to:

- 131,500 medical male circumcisions (contributing to 69.0% of the provincial target);
- 22,400 orphans and vulnerable children reached with care services;
- 900 Health Care workers graduated from a pre-service training institution; and
- 26,300 Health Care workers completed a SAQA-accredited in-service training program and 4,900 clinicians and caregivers completed a pediatric ART, TB, MMC, or palliative care course.

## **Provincial Highlight**



Gauteng is an MMC frontrunner— 3 of 5 leading district performers (COJ, Tshwane, Ekurhuleni) conduct 45% of PEPFAR's MMC program goal. In the COJ, PEPFAR partners performed 53,500 MMCs contributing to 97% of the district's SAG target. During MMC, partners also conduct HCT to further prevention efforts.

# **Implementing Partners**

## City of Johannesburg

#### ANOVA

Aurum Health Research
CHAPS
\*Child Line-Gauteng Sunlight Safe House
Columbia University—ICAP

Community Media Trust
Family Health International (FHI360)

Hospice Palliative Care Assoc

I-TECH Jelfare Society

\*Joburg Child Welfare Society JHHESA

\*Mount Olive Outreach
\*Nanga Vhutshilo (Choose Life)
Natl Assoc of Childcare Workers
Population Services International

\*Ratang Bana Right to Care

\*Slovo Centre of Excellence SA Catholic Bishops Conference South Africa Partners Witkoppen Health and Welfare Center Wits Reproductive Health Institute

## City of Tshwane

Aurum Health Research
CHAPS
\*Neo e Bonolo Drop In Centre

tion for Professional Development

## Foundation for Professional Developmt

Future Families Hospice Palliative Care Assoc \*Kings Hope Development Foundation Mothers 2 Mothers

Natl Assoc of Childcare Workers \*Re-Lebile Kanana Comm Train & Dev Ctr \*St. Joseph's Care and Support Trust Shout-It-Now

SA Catholic Bishops Conference SA Clothing & Textile Workers' Union \*Tateni Home Care Nursing Services

## Ekurhuleni District

## Aurum Health Research BroadReach Healthcare

\*Caring Member of Society Foundation CHAPS

\*Empilweni HIV & AIDS Projects Hospice Palliative Care Assoc \*Lambano Sanctuary Natl Assoc of Childcare Workers

Natl Assoc of Childcare Workers Population Services International SA Catholic Bishops Conference

### Sedibeng District

Aurum Health Research
BroadReach Healthcare
CHAPS
Hospice Palliative Care Assoc

JHPIEGO Mothers 2 Mothers Nat'l Assoc of Childcare Workers

# West Rand District

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Right to Care

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